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**HOUSE
RESOLUTION No. ____**

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A RESOLUTION congratulating Bishop Luers High School.

Whereas, Bishop Luers High School, located in Fort Wayne, claimed its second consecutive Indiana High School Athletic Association Class 2A state title with a 67 - 49 victory over Brownstown Central High School;

Whereas, The state championship was the perfect ending for a team that finished the season with a 23 - 4 record and was ranked second in Class 2A;

Whereas, Bishop Luers led by only three points at halftime but went on a 15 - 4 run to end the third quarter, helping the

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Knights clinch the title;

Whereas, Deshaun Thomas, who led the state in scoring this season with an average of 30.1 points per game and ranks 11th on the state's all-time scoring list with 2,254 points, led all scorers with 34 points;

Whereas, Lawrence Barnett had 12 points and five rebounds, Ken Mullen added 10 points and four rebounds, and Evan Blackmon had nine points and six rebounds;

Whereas, Ken Mullen broke the Class 2A championship game record with four blocked shots; and

Whereas, Special accomplishments deserve special recognition: Therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

- 1 SECTION 1. That the Indiana House of Representatives extends
- 2 its congratulations to the members of the Bishop Luers High School
- 3 boys basketball team for their Class 2A state championship and wishes
- 4 them continued success in all their future endeavors.
- 5 SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of
- 6 Representatives transmit a copy of this resolution to team members,
- 7 student managers, head coach James Blackmon, athletic director Matt
- 8 Lindsay, principal Mary Keefer, and superintendent Father Steven
- 9 Kempinger.

